English as a Second Language

A Directory of ESL Programs and Services
for Adults in Alberta
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Alberta
CAREER DEVELOPMENT
AND EMPLOYMENT
Immigration and
Settlement

This Directory was designed to serve as a general guide to ESL programs and services and should not be considered a fully authoritative list of programs and services in Alberta, or an endorsement of the programs and services listed.

Literacy programs were included if they indicated that five or more learners accessed their programs at any given time for ESL instruction.

Information in the Directory was pr[illegible] by organizations/programs in July, 1992. Users should verify the accuracy of the information by contacting the organizations/programs directly, or in Edmonton and Calgary, the Assessment and Referral Centres (see Assessment and Referral section of the Directory).

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DEFINITIONS

Classroom-based Program

Any program which has at least one component involving a classroom situation, even though other components might involve community or workplace situations.

E S P

English for Specific Purposes

E W P

English in the Workplace

Full-time Program

Any program with 20 or more hours per week.

Levels

The definitions of levels that are used in this Directory (appearing in brackets behind course titles, weeks, etc.) may be useful in providing general information about programs, especially in a comparative sense. However, because of the lack of precision of these definitions and their emphasis on oral skills they should not be used as a basis for referral or assessment.

Basic Literacy: For learners with very limited reading and/or writing skills in their own language. Speaks only a little English, if at all.

Beginner: For learners with very little vocabulary and speaking ability. Understands only a little English, usually with the help of gestures.

Low-Intermediate: Can speak in simple sentence structures, although their speech tends to be somewhat fragmented. Vocabulary limited to familiar, high-frequency words. Listening/understanding ability usually somewhat better than speech production.

High-Intermediate: Can usually function within a known framework. Can comprehend instructions, questions spoken at a normal pace and can complete simple writing tasks, although not always accurately. Can read short passages on familiar topics.

Advanced: Speech connected, with minimal hesitations, although not entirely fluent. Can read longer passages; write with fewer errors, but not on more abstract topics. Can control directions of conversations and initiate topics.

DEFINITIONS

Levels	***Advanced/Transitional:*** Speech is approaching fluency; can read and write on more abstract topics. Advanced classes at these levels are aimed at preparing students for entrance to other educational programs and institutions. ***Multilevel:*** Courses that are offered to a group of students with diverse English language skills that may range from Basic Literacy to Advanced/ Transitional levels.
L I N C	Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada
LMLT	Labour Market Language Training
OESL	Occupational English as a Second Language
Rural Centre	Any Alberta community with a population of less than 20,000.
S L P	Settlement Language Program
T O E	Trades and Occupational English
T O E F L	Test of English as a Foreign Language
Tutor-based Program	A program in which this is a one-to-one tutor-learner match.
Urban Centre	Any Alberta community with a population of 20,000 or more.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION

The following information is provided as a general guide on potential sources. Please contact the appropriate office for more specific information on eligibility criteria and application procedures.

ALBERTA FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

a) Supports for Independence
Individuals on the Supports for Independence Program may be sponsored for school through Alberta Family and Social Services. Learners should contact their social worker.

EMPLOYMENT AND IMMIGRATION CANADA (EIC)

Eligibility requirements vary depending upon the program. Contact your local Canada Employment Centre (CEC).

a) Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada (LINC)
This program provides basic introductory language instruction and orientation to assist adult immigrants (permanent residents, not Canadian citizens) in their integration to Canadian society. Eligible newcomers receive tuition free full or part-time ESL training. Child minding and transportation, if required, may also be available.

b) Labour Market Language Training (LMLT)
This program provides specialized or advanced language training needed by immigrants to acquire job skills or make use of existing skills which are in demand in the labour market. Depending on individual circumstances, tuition, books, supplies and a living allowance may be provided.

Basic eligibility requirements:
- have achieved a basic level of language competency
- have occupational skills or the potential to acquire skills required by the local labour market

c) Unemployment Insurance (UI)
Depending on individual circumstances, including the relationship between lack of English and being unemployed, individuals receiving UI may be able to receive regular UI benefits while taking ESL training.

ALBERTA CAREER DEVELOPMENT AND EMPLOYMENT

Contact your local Career Development Centre for further details.

a) Alberta Vocational Training Student Support (AVT)
This program provides unemployed, unskilled and economically disadvantaged Albertans with training so that they may acquire the skills needed to enter the labour market.

Basic eligibility requirements:
- a resident of Alberta for the past 12 months
- 18 years of age or over and out of secondary school for at least 12 months

a) Alberta Vocational Training Student Support (Cont'd)
- entering training that is suited to applicant's abilities, interests, background and with potential to increase employability
- unemployed
- able to demonstrate financial need
- capable of benefiting from proposed training
- ineligible for other funding options
- participate in career counselling prior to registering in a program

b) Vocational Rehabilitation for Disabled Persons (VRDP)
This program provides support to prepare persons with disabilities to enter the labour market. Funding support may be available while in training or employment.

Basic eligibility requirements:
- permanent physical or mental handicap which creates a barrier to employment
- be a resident of Alberta for at least 12 months
- 18 years of age or over
- unemployed
- participation in career counselling to develop an appropriate career plan and employment goal

Assistance varies depending on individual situation.

STUDENTS FINANCE BOARD

Contact the Students Finance Board for more information.

a) Full-time Study
Student loans for full-time study may be available to cover tuition, books and a living allowance. Learners may apply for remission payments (not paying back total loan).

Basic eligibility requirements:
- enrolled in approved course of study
- demonstrated financial need

b) Part-time Study
A part-time study bursary to a maximum of $300/semester may be available based on demonstrated financial need to cover tuition, books, babysitting and travel. The bursary does not have to be repaid.

Be sure to apply to the Students Finance Board at least two months prior to starting school. The Students Finance Board also provides information on awards, bursaries and scholarships.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD (WCB)

Individuals receiving Workers' Compensation may be sponsored for ESL training. Learners should contact their Employment Counsellor or Case Manager.

ESL PROGRAMS
URBAN ALBERTA

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ALBERTA VOCATIONAL COLLEGE (AVC) CALGARY**
FEES	LINC- *free* Other Programs *$20 - $350*
TO REGISTER	LINC: continuous enrollment; other ESL programs every 7 weeks
SUPPORT SERVICES	**LINC**: childcare, transportation, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, language lab, library, computers **ESL**: interpretation/translation services, library, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	Contact Registrar at 297-4040 Continuing Education for dates and times
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eighteen students
ADDRESS	#332 , 6th Avenue SE Calgary, Alberta T2G 4S6
PHONE/FAX	297-4057 (LINC Programming) Fax: 297-4081 297-4776
CONTACT	LINC: Elza Bruk Language Training: Lynette Tampe

ALBERTA VOCATIONAL COLLEGE (AVC) CALGARY

Course/Programs offered

- ESL - Levels 1 - 5: part-time, days or evenings, 7 weeks (beginner to intermediate)
- LINC - Levels 1 - 5: full-time, days, 20 weeks (basic literacy to advanced)
- LINC - Levels 1 - 5: part-time, days or evenings, 30 weeks (basic literacy to advanced)
- Intermediate English: part-time, days, 10 weeks
- English for Specific Purposes (ESP): number of hours/weeks varies by program, evenings (English for specific occupational purposes eg. bookkeeping, accounting, computer training, interpreter training)
- English in the Workplace (EWP): number of hours varies by program, days or evenings
- Work Experience Program: full-time, days, 12 weeks
- Basic Professional Cooking: full-time, days, 41 weeks
- Warehousing: full-time, days, 12 weeks
- ESL Practical Nursing Program: full-time, days, 48 weeks
- Welding for Immigrants: full-time, days, 30 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY BOARD OF EDUCATION, CONTINUING EDUCATION, ADULT ACADEMIC PROGRAM**
FEES	Part-time *$35 - $80* Full-time *$300* *Text book rental fee for ESL 10C and 10D*
TO REGISTER	Registration varies by program, call for information
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare and transportation (SLP only), recreational facilities (varies by location), education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment (varies by location)
OTHER	Students are asked to attend an orientation/assessment prior to registration to plan their program; call Program office to make an appointment
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eighteen students
ADDRESS	Viscount Bennett Centre #166 2519 Richmond Road SW Calgary, Alberta T3E 4M2 Programs offered at various locations (call for information)
PHONE/FAX	296-6358
CONTACT	Sandy Bessey, Program Assistant Tara Holmes, Program Specialist

CALGARY BOARD OF EDUCATION, CONTINUING EDUCATION, ADULT ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Course/Programs Offered

- General ESL Program: part-time, days or evenings, 7 weeks (5 levels, beginner to intermediate)
- ESL 10B and 10C: part-time, days or evenings, 20 weeks (advanced level ESL classes)
- Pronunciation: part-time, evenings, 14 weeks
- TOEFL Preparation/Grammar Review: part-time, days or evenings, 14 weeks
- Intermediate Conversation Class: part-time, days, 14 weeks
- Advanced Discussion Class: part-time, days, 14 weeks
- Writing Classes: part-time, days or evenings, 14 weeks
- Transitions: full-time, days (a full-time upgrading program with ESL support; includes course work in mathematics, science, social studies and language arts), 20 weeks
- Work Entry/Job Search: part-time, days (call for more information)
- Stepping Out: part-time, days, 12 weeks (English classes for women including tutorials and small group classes)
- Prenatal classes: part-time, evenings, 8 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY CATHOLIC IMMIGRATION SOCIETY**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, recreation facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seventeen students
ADDRESS	#400, 1400 1st. Street SW Calgary, Alberta T2R 0V8 Program offered at various locations: call for information
PHONE/FAX	262-2006 Fax: 262-2033
CONTACT	Margaret Chandler, Program Coordinator

CALGARY CATHOLIC IMMIGRATION SOCIETY

Course/Program Offered

- Basic Literacy: part-time, days, 10 weeks
- Levels 1 and 2: part-time, days, 9 weeks (beginner to low-intermediate)
- Level 2: full-time, days, 10 weeks (low-intermediate level)
- Seniors Program: part-time, evenings, 7 weeks
- Bi-lingual Ethnic Classes: part-time, evenings (may target seniors or women from specific ethnic communities)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD, FURTHER EDUCATION SERVICES**
FEES	Latin American Program - *$50* Neighbourhood ESL - *$67* Headstart - *free* Other classes *$67 - $100*
TO REGISTER	10B and 10C: semi-annually; all other programs: continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare (some programs only), transportation, computers, audio equipment
OTHER	Sponsored clients need to make financial arrangements prior to or upon registration; Basic to Advanced students must register in person to take a placement test
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	St. Anthony's School 4811 - 6th Street SW Calgary, Alberta T2S 2N5
PHONE/FAX	287-1974
CONTACT	Sandra Boyd, Facilitator, Programs for Immigrants

CALGARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL BOARD, FURTHER EDUCATION SERVICES

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic 1: part-time, days or evenings, 9 weeks (basic literacy to beginner levels)
- Basic 2: part-time, evenings, 9 weeks (low-intermediate level)
- Intermediate/Advanced (combined class): part-time, days, 9 weeks
- Intermediate ESL: part-time, evenings, 9 weeks
- Advanced ESL: part-time, evenings, 9 weeks
- Latin-American Language, Literacy and Lifeskills Program: full-time, days, 30 weeks; for parents and their pre-school (3 to 5 years) children
- Neighbourhood ESL: part-time, days (after school), 35 weeks; for parents and their school-age children
- Headstart ESL: part-time, days, 50 weeks; an orientation to Canada for newly-arrived immigrants
- ESL 10B: part-time, days or evenings, 20 weeks (advanced ESL)
- ESL 10C: part-time, days, 20 weeks (advanced ESL)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY IMMIGRANT AID SOCIETY**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	LINC: all students must be assessed by the Immigrant Vocational and Language Referral Centre
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seventeen students
ADDRESS	#900A, 825-8 Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2P 2T3
PHONE/FAX	262-2656 Fax: 266-2486
CONTACT	Krystyna Biel: 262-2656 Mabel: 265-1120

CALGARY IMMIGRANT AID SOCIETY

Course/Programs Offered

- Assessment and Referral: see Assessment and Referral section of Directory
- Education and Career Planning: see Assessment and Referral section of Directory
- Basic 1, 2, 3: part-time, days, 8 weeks (basic literacy to low-intermediate levels)
- Intermediate 1: part-time, days, 8 weeks
- Intermediate 2: part-time, days, 26 weeks
- Advanced ESL: part-time, days, 26 weeks
- Computer and Accounting Training (call for more information)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY IMMIGRANT DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATIONAL ADVANCEMENT SOCIETY (IDEAS)**
FEES	Drop-in - *$5* LINC- *free*
TO REGISTER	LINC: Quarterly; Drop-in: continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Transportation, recreational facilities, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seventeen students
ADDRESS	#203, 4310 - 17 Avenue SE Calgary, Alberta T2A 0T4
PHONE/FAX	235-3666 Fax: 272-7455
CONTACT	Kuldip Thind

CALGARY IMMIGRANT DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATIONAL ADVANCEMENT SOCIETY (IDEAS)

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic, Intermediate and Advanced ESL: drop-in, days and evenings
- LINC: part-time, days, 20 weeks (multi-level class)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY IMMIGRANT WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/ translation services, library, computers
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty students
ADDRESS	#802 - 14th Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2R 0N6
PHONE/FAX	425-6785 Fax: 228-3193
CONTACT	Linda Thomson, Executive Director

CALGARY IMMIGRANT WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Course/Programs Offered

- Stepping Out: part-time, days, 10-12 weeks (lifeskills and ESL for women and seniors; literacy to high-intermediate levels; offered in cooperation with the Calgary Board of Education)
- Pronunciation Improvement: part-time, days, 8 weeks
- English for Specific Purposes: including medical terminology, computer terminology, business education, idioms, job interview and resume writing techniques (call for more information)
- New Friends and Neighbours: a tutor-based program

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CALGARY MENNONITE CENTRE FOR NEWCOMERS**
FEES	*$5*
TO REGISTER	ESL: quarterly (except summer); summer enrollment for Lifeskills for Young Mothers
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/ translation services, library, audio material and equipment
OTHER	N/A
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	#200, 3517-17th Avenue SE Calgary, Alberta T2A 0R5
PHONE/FAX	569-0409 Fax: 248-5041
CONTACT	Henrietta Sawatsky, Coordinator, ESL Program

CALGARY MENNONITE CENTRE FOR NEWCOMERS

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic 1 and 2 ESL: part-time, days, 10 weeks (basic literacy to intermediate levels)
- Intermediate ESL: part-time, days, 10 weeks
- ESL: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (multi-level)
- Lifeskills course for young mothers; includes ESL component, call for more information

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**McMANUS AND ASSOCIATES**
FEES	Minimum - *$500*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, language lab, library and audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	Individuals can apply for adult upgrading; fee dependant on hours involved
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Six students
ADDRESS	#400, 1015 Centre Street N Calgary, Alberta T2E 2P8
PHONE/FAX	297-0533 Fax: 230-5975
CONTACT	Bill McManus, President

McMANUS AND ASSOCIATES

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic Literacy: part-time, days or evenings, 8 weeks
- Beginner: part-time, days or evenings, 8 weeks
- Low-Intermediate, Intermediate and High-Intermediate: part-time, days or evenings, 8 weeks
- Advanced: part-time, days or evenings, 8 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**MOUNT ROYAL COLLEGE, LANGUAGE INSTITUTE**
FEES	Landed Immigrant/Canadian Citizen - *$200* Visa student - *$1200 (1992 tuition fee)* *$1300 (1993 tuition fee)* TOEFL - *$60* All students - *$60 for textbooks*
TO REGISTER	Quarterly: January, March and September
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, language lab, library, computers (main campus only), audio-visual material and equipment, Learning Skills Centre
OTHER	Contact office for registration information at least two months prior to registration dates
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eighteen students
ADDRESS	#833 - 4th Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2P 3T5 4825 Richard Rd. SW Calgary, Alberta T3E 6K6 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	240-5513 Fax: 240-5506
CONTACT	David Wood, Program Administrator

MOUNT ROYAL COLLEGE LANGUAGE INSTITUTE

Course/Programs Offered

- Intensive ESL program 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7: part-time, days, 13 weeks (basic literacy to advanced transitional levels)
- Reading/Writing: part-time, evenings, 12 weeks (high-intermediate level)
- Communications: part-time, evenings, 12 weeks (high-intermediate level)
- TOEFL Preparation: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY**
FEES	*$150*
TO REGISTER	Semi-annually: January and September
SUPPORT SERVICES	Call for information
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty students
ADDRESS	Faculty of Continuing Education 2500 University Drive NW Calgary, Alberta T2N 1N4
PHONE/FAX	220-4713
CONTACT	Al Holt, Associate Professor

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY

Course/Programs Offered

- Intermediate: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced, Advanced 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced Conversation: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced Pronunciation 1: part-time, evenings or days (weekend), 10 weeks
- Advanced Pronunciation 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**YWCA (CALGARY), ENGLISH FOR NEW CANADIANS**
FEES	Outreach - *free* Other Programs *$22 - $86* Childcare *$50 - $90*
TO REGISTER	Varies by program (call for information)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare (days only), recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	#320 - 5th Avenue SE Calgary, Alberta T2G 0E5
	Outreach at various locations: call for information
PHONE/FAX	263-1550
	Fax: 263-4681
CONTACT	Peggy McDonald

YWCA CALGARY - ENGLISH FOR NEW CANADIANS

Courses/Programs Offered

- English Conversation: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (basic literacy to advanced levels)
- Basic Reading: part-time, days or evenings, 9 weeks (basic literacy to beginner levels)
- Pronunciation: part-time, days or evenings, 9 weeks (low-intermediate to advanced levels)
- Social Conversation: part-time, days or evenings, 9 weeks (high-intermediate to advanced levels)
- Reading and Writing: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (low-intemediate to advanced levels)
- Reading, Writing and Conversation: part-time, days, 10 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
- Summer ESL - Reading, Writing and Conversation: part-time, evenings, 4 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
- Outreach: part-time, days, 10 weeks (basic literacy to advanced levels; levels may vary by location; women only)
- May also offer various ad hoc groups for special purposes

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ALBERTA COLLEGE**
FEES	Intensive English (day classes) - *$650 plus approximately $50 for textbooks* Evening classes - *$75*
TO REGISTER	Day classes: registration 2 times annually; Evening classes: registration 3 times annually (call for dates)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	There is a pre-test for students in evening classes to place students and divide classes into levels
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty-five students
ADDRESS	10041-101 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5J 0S3
PHONE/FAX	428-1851 Fax: 424-6371
CONTACT	C. Anne Wild, Dean Peter Zalucky, Registrar

ALBERTA COLLEGE

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL: part-time, evenings, 11 weeks (may offer basic literacy to advanced levels, depending on needs of students)
- Intensive English: full-time, days, 22 weeks (TOEFL preparation, preparation for English 30)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ALBERTA VOCATIONAL COLLEGE (AVC) EDMONTON, ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT**
FEES	Full time - *government-funded* Part time - *$20 for ten weeks*
TO REGISTER	Trades and Occupational English (TOE): annually; Tutor-bank: continuous enrollment; other programs: every ten weeks
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, language lab, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment, computer lab, typing room, nurse, listening room, cafeteria, bookstore
OTHER	Full-time: register through EIC; TOE and Language Plus register through AVC admissions, 427-5512; Tutor Bank: register at Tutor Bank office, 427-7752 Part-time: register at Room 107, AVC Main Campus
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seventeen students
ADDRESS	Winnifred Stewart Campus 11140 - 131 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5M 1C1 Main Campus 10215 - 108 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5J 1L6 10330 - 71 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5E 0W8
PHONE/FAX	422-9061 425-5501 (evenings) Fax: 427-3236
CONTACT	Jim Critchley, Chairman

ALBERTA VOCATIONAL COLLEGE (AVC) EDMONTON, ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE DEPT

Course/Programs Offered

- Special Basic: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (basic literacy level)
- Core A,B,E: full-time; days or evenings, 10 weeks (beginner to low-intermediate levels)
- Intermediate 1,2,3: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Core C, D: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (Core C: similar to core E, but reluctant to speak; Core D: speaks confidently but incorrectly)
- Trades and Occupational English (TOE): full-time, days, 34 weeks
- Language Plus: full-time, days (ESL plus skill training); call for more information
- Understanding Canada: part-time, days or evenings, 8 weeks
- TOEFL: part-time, days or evenings, 9 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ALEX TAYLOR COMMUNITY SCHOOL**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Registration in September, January and April, but students are admitted after these dates if possible
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, library
OTHER	For further information call the coordinator between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., preferably on Friday; registrants must provide proof of landed immigrant status
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty-five students
ADDRESS	9321 Jasper Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5J 3T7
PHONE/FAX	422-6240 Fax: 424-2920
CONTACT	Errol Raman Nair, Coordinator, Adult ESL Program

ALEX TAYLOR COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Course/Programs Offered

- Class A: part-time, days, 42 weeks (basic literacy level)
- Class B: part-time, days, 42 weeks (beginner level)
- Class C: part-time, days, 42 weeks (low-intermediate)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES, IMMIGRATION AND SETTLEMENT SERVICE, LANGUAGE AND VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LVA)**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment for Centre for Independent Learning (CIL)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, computers, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	Call to make an appointment
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	10709 - 105 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5H 2X3
PHONE/FAX	424-3545 Fax: 425-6627
CONTACT	Ana Maria Fantino, Patti Albert, Maria Teresa Liberona, Bason Hoang, Tran Le Tran, Lucia Texeira (CIL)

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES, IMMIGRATION AND SETTLEMENT SERVICE, LANGUAGE AND VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LVA)

Course/Programs Offered

- Assessment and Referral: see Assessment and Referral section of Directory
- Education and Career Counselling: see Assessment and Referral section of Directory
- Centre for Independent Learning (CIL): a learning centre for adult immigrants who wish to undertake independent study (volunteers and staff available to assist)
- LINC: days, hours and number of weeks vary (basic literacy - call for more information)
- May occasionally offer a class for beginner to intermediate levels and up, depending on demand and availability of instructors (call for more information)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CENTRAL PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE**
FEES	*$15 - $25*
TO REGISTER	Quarterly registration (call for dates)
SUPPORT SERVICES	
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Five students
ADDRESS	11605 - 107 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5H 0Y9
PHONE/FAX	452-5566 Fax: 452-9737
CONTACT	Rev. Robert W. Jones, Minister of Education

CENTRAL PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE

Course/Programs Offered:

- Beginner: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (basic literacy level)
- Level 1: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (beginner level)
- Level 2: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (low-intermediate level)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CHANGING TOGETHER - A CENTRE FOR IMMIGRANT WOMEN**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Semi-annual registration
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services
OTHER	Client's language skills will be tested for placement purposes
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	20 students
ADDRESS	Room 209, 10010 - 107 A Ave. Edmonton, Alberta T5H 0V2 Program offered at various locations: call for information
PHONE/FAX	421-0175 Fax: 426-2225
CONTACT	Nena Jocic-Andrejevic, Executive Director Vida Naji, ESL Coordinator

CHANGING TOGETHER - A CENTRE FOR IMMIGRANT WOMEN

Course/Programs Offered

- Literacy: part-time, days or evenings, 37 weeks
- Beginner I: part-time, days or evenings, 37 weeks
- Beginner II: part-time, days, 37 weeks
- Low-Intermediate and Intermediate: part-time, days, 37 weeks
- ESL for Immigrant Women Professionals: part-time, days, 26 weeks
- ESL for Canadian Citizens: part-time, days, 37 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**EDMONTON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS, CONTINUING EDUCATION**
FEES	SLP - *free* TOEFL - *$80* Other classes - *$28 for 24 hours*
TO REGISTER	Register at location of choice 15 minutes prior to class
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare and transportation (some programs), recreation facilities, education/ career counselling, audio visual material and equipment
OTHER	Students have to take a placement test for basic ESL classes
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	Room 103, 9807 - 106 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5R 1C2 Program offered at various locations (call for information)
PHONE/FAX	441-6010 Fax: 422-0126
CONTACT	Ken Lesniak, Director

EDMONTON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS CONTINUING EDUCATION

Course/Program Officials

- ESL classes: part-time, days or evenings; schedule may vary by location (basic literacy to advanced and multi-level)
- English for UI Claimants: full-time, days (low-intermediate to advanced levels)
- TOEFL Preparation: part-time, evenings
- SLP: part-time, days (basic literacy)
- Immigration Settlement and Adaptation Programs: part-time, evenings

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**EDMONTON CHINESE COMMUNITY SERVICES CENTRE**
FEES	SLP - *free* Other classes *$15 - $25*
TO REGISTER	Three times annually: January, May and September
SUPPORT SERVICES	Individual counselling, audio material
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty-two students
ADDRESS	9540 - 102 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5H 0E3
PHONE/FAX	429-3111 424-7837
CONTACT	Ms. Lucy Tse, Program Coordinator

EDMONTON-CHINESE COMMUNITY SERVICES CENTRE

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic ESL A, B: part-time, days, 13 weeks (basic literacy level)
- ESL Level 1, 2, 3, 4, 5: part-time, days, 13 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
- SLP Beginner and Intermediate: part-time, days, 24 weeks (low to high-intermediate levels)
- Summer Beginner and Intermediate: part-time, days, 8 weeks (low to high-intermediate levels)
- Advanced Conversation: part-time, days, 10 weeks
- Citizenship classes: part-time, days, 10 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**EDMONTON IMMIGRANT SERVICES ASSOCIATION (EISA)**
FEES	Job Search and LINC - *free* Other classes *$10 - $12*
TO REGISTER	Quarterly registration (call for dates; leave name and telephone number if interested)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, education/career counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, computers, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	Proficiency test given for placement purposes
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	Cromdale School 11240 - 79 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5B 2K1
PHONE/FAX	474-8445 Fax: 477-0883
CONTACT	Dr. Ibrahim Alladin, Director of Education

EDMONTON IMMIGRANT SERVICES ASSOCIATION (EISA)

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL 1, 2, 3: part time, days, 12 weeks (basic literacy to low-intermediate levels)
- SLP/LINC levels 1 and 2: full-time, days, 14 weeks (basic literacy)
- Citizenship classes: part-time, days or evenings, 12 weeks
- Job Search program: part time, days, 5 weeks (for women only)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CONTINUING EDUCATION**
FEES	Part-time *$ 84 - $125* Full-time *$125 - $450*
TO REGISTER	TOEFL: every seven weeks; ESL Full Day Program: every five weeks; Evening Program and Extended Program every fifteen weeks
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, audio-visual material and equipment, audio material
OTHER	Registration is "first come, first served" on designated registration dates; a waiting list is kept for AVT sponsorship
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty-two students
ADDRESS	10733 - 101 Street (The Annex) Edmonton, Alberta T5H 2S5 Programs offered at various locations (call for information)
PHONE/FAX	496-1212 Fax: 496-1213
CONTACT	Helen Yee

EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CONTINUING EDUCATION

Course/Programs Offered

- Extended Day ESL: full-time, days, 15 weeks (literacy to advanced levels)
- Full Day ESL: full-time, days, 5 weeks (low-intermediate to advanced levels)
- Intensive Evening ESL: part-time, evenings, 15 weeks (literacy to advanced levels)
- Community-based Evening ESL: part-time, evenings, 16 weeks (multi-level)
- TOEFL Prep/Advanced Language Skills- Phase 1 and 2: part-time, days or evenings, 7 weeks (advanced transitional level)
- May be offering LINC (literacy to beginner levels), days or evenings
- English in the Workplace (EWP): as requested by employers

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFESSIONALS INC.**
	Varies by program
TO REGISTER	Varies by program
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment, listening centres
OTHER	Programs can be created around needs articulated by learners (call for information)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students; eight students in Literacy Classes
ADDRESS	#200, 10359 - 82 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T6E 1Z9
PHONE/FAX	439-0806
CONTACT	Dr. Virginia Sauve Director Marsha Grimes Coordinator, EWP Programs

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFESSIONALS INC

Course/Programs Offered -

- Stepping Stones: a full-time, one-year program of ESL, community-building, literacy and employment preparation for women (days)
- Accounting for Immigrants (in association with NAIT): a full-time, one-year program of English, computer and accounting courses, lifeskills and intercultural awareness (days)
- English in the Workplace: programs contracted with various employers (contact Marsha Grimes 431-1373, 439-0806 for more information)
- Teacher Training Programs; Consulting Services

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**GRANT MACEWAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE, ESL PROJECT**
FEES	Landed immigrant/Canadian citizen - *$355* Visa student - *$710* Non-refundable testing fee - *$5* Approximately for textbooks - *$60*
TO REGISTER	Registration three times annually: September, January and April
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, library
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twenty-two students
ADDRESS	Cromdale Campus 8020 - 118 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5B 0R8
PHONE/FAX	477-0214 Fax: 477-0290
CONTACT	Malcolm Connell, Senior Instructor

GRANT MACEWAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE, ESL PROJECT

Course/Programs Offered

- Preparation Level: full-time ESL, days, 12 weeks (beginner level)

- Levels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5: full-time ESL, days, 12 weeks (low-intermediate to advanced levels)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**INDO-CANADIAN WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/ translation services
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	#106, 2024 - 57 Street Edmonton, Alberta T6L 2Z3
PHONE/FAX	490-0477
CONTACT	Jayanti Negi, Executive Director

INDO-CANADIAN WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Course/Programs Offered

- English for Seniors Support Group: part-time, days, ongoing (basic literacy level)
- LINC 1 and 2: part-time, days, 30 weeks (beginner to low-intermediate levels)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**MENNONITE CENTRE FOR NEWCOMERS**
FEES	Seniors and Outreach - *free* Citizenship classes - *$10* Regular classes - *$20* Drop-in *$20 for calendar year plus a refundable deposit of $9 for books*
TO REGISTER	ESL classes: quarterly basis; Drop-in: continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, education/career counselling, interpretation/translation services
OTHER	Registration is on a "first come, first served" basis
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	10125 - 107 Avenue Edmonton, Alberta T5H 0V4
PHONE/FAX	424-7709 Fax: 424-7736
CONTACT	Lori Weiler, ESL Assistant

MENNONITE CENTRE FOR NEWCOMERS

Courses/Programs Offered

- Beginner English Classes: part-time, days, 10 weeks (4 levels: literacy to low-intermediate)
- Regular Classes: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (6 levels: low-intermediate)
- Senior Classes: part-time, days, 10 weeks (includes fieldtrips)
- Drop-in ESL: part-time, days (6 levels)
- Outreach Classes: part-time, days, 10 weeks (low levels only; call for information regarding locations)
- English Classes in the Home: tutor based (low levels only)
- Citizenship: part-time, evenings

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**NEW HOME IMMIGRATION AND SETTLEMENT CENTRE**
FEES	*$20*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), language lab
OTHER	Please call for registration information and times
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	15808 - 81 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5Z 2T8
PHONE/FAX	479-4930 Fax: 476-0665
CONTACT	Elsa Schulz

NEW HOME IMMIGRATION AND SETTLEMENT CENTRE

Course/Programs Offered

- Beginning 1 and 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (beginner to low-intermediate levels)
- Intermediate 1 and 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (low to high-intermediate levels)
- Advanced 1: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- May be offering full-time day classes, more intensive evening classes (call for information)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA, FACULTY OF EXTENSION, ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAM (ELP)**
FEES	Day program - *$565* (Summer session - *$340*) Evening program - *$115* TOEFL preparation - *$200* Additional fees for textbooks
TO REGISTER	Quarterly registration (call for dates)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, some individual counselling, language lab, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	Students may register in the program according to: placement test recommendations, valid TOEFL or Michigan English Language Assessment Battery (MELAB) scores or recommendations from English Language Program instructors; letters of acceptance required for international students
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Sixteen students
ADDRESS	University Extension Centre, Room 410 8303 112 Street Edmonton, Alberta T6G 2T4
PHONE/FAX	492-3036/492-7438 492-1857
CONTACT	Mimi Hui, Administrative Assistant

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA, FACULTY OF EXTENSION, ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAM (ELP)

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL 1000, 2000, 2100, 3000: full-time, days, 10 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
- ESL 3100, 4000, 4100: full-time, days, 10 weeks (advanced level; emphasis on academic skills and preparation for university)
- Intermediate English 1, 2, 3, 4: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Introductory Conversation: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (beginner level)
- Intermediate Conversation 1 and 2 and Advanced Conversation: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Intermediate and Advanced Reading: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Intermediate Writing, Advanced Writing 1 and 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- English Grammar Review 1 and 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (advanced levels)
- Speech 1 and 2: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (intermediate to advanced levels)
- TOEFL Preparation: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks
- Seminars on various related topics (eg. Employment in Canada; English Grammar - call for information)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**KEYANO COLLEGE**
FEES	Day program - *$418.40 and $20 for textbooks* Evening program - *$50 tuition fee (includes textbooks)*
TO REGISTER	Three times annually
SUPPORT SERVICES	Transportation, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, language lab, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Fort McMurray
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	8115 Franklin Avenue Fort McMurray, Alberta T9H 2H7
PHONE/FAX	791-4856
CONTACT	Ben Nagy

KEYANO COLLEGE

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL - Level 1 and 2: full-time, days, 16 weeks (basic literacy to beginner levels)
- Beginning and Advanced Conversation: part-time, evenings, 8 weeks
- Reading and Writing for ESL students: part-time, evenings, 6 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE**
FEES	LMLT and LINC - *free* OESL - *$500 plus $50 Student's Association fee* Other classes - *$408.50 plus $50 Student's Association fee*
TO REGISTER	ESL: usually 3 annually (fall, winter, spring); OESL: August and January; LINC: October and May (call for more information)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, language lab, library, computers, and audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	Students may be registered after the course has commenced at the discretion of the instructors/sponsors
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Grande Prairie and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Ten students
ADDRESS	10726 - 106 Avenue Grande Prairie, Alberta T8V 4C4
PHONE/FAX	539-2983 Fax: 539-2832
CONTACT	ESL: Margaret Welwood, Instructor Occupational ESL: Kevin Anstey, Instructor

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE

Course/Programs Offered

- ES001: full-time, days, 16 weeks (literacy and beginner levels)
- ES002: full-time, days, 16 weeks (intermediate level)
- LINC (may also be offering): part-time, days, 25 weeks (literacy to low-intermediate levels)
- Occupational ESL (OESL): full-time, days, 20 weeks (upgrading and apprenticeship preparation with an ESL component; also accepts students with other ESL needs)
- Labour Market Language Training (LMLT): full-time, days (ESL/work experience program)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**PEACE AREA SETTLEMENT SERVICES**
FEES	*$10 - $15*
TO REGISTER	When courses scheduled (irregular basis)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, interpretation/translation services, library
OTHER	Fees can be waived
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Grande Prairie
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Ten students
ADDRESS	#201, 10404-102 Street Grande Prairie, Alberta T8V 2W3
PHONE/FAX	538-3232 Fax: 532-8325
CONTACT	Ernest Chorabik, Executive Director

PEACE AREA SETTLEMENT SERVICES

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks (basic literacy to beginner levels)
- May be offering specialized ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks (ESL focussed on trades-related vocabulary and information; call to confirm)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**THE READING NETWORK**
FEES	Some programs - *free* Other programs - *$1 an hour*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, recreational facilities, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Grande Prairie and County of Grande Prairie
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	c/o Grande Prairie Regional College 10726 - 106 Avenue Grande Prairie, Alberta T8V 4C4
PHONE/FAX	538-4363
CONTACT	Wenda Housego

THE READING NETWORK

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic ESL: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks (basic literacy to beginner levels)
- Intermediate ESL: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced ESL: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- TOEFL Preparation: part-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Outreach: part-time, days, 27 weeks (basic literacy and beginner levels)
- Also offers a tutor-based program

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER CENTRE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment (all year)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services (Spanish only), computers, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lethbridge and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	#207 - 13 St. N Lethbridge, Alberta T1H 2R6
PHONE/FAX	320-2057 Fax: 320-1253 320-2044
CONTACT	Elma Guinto

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER CENTRE: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Courses/Programs Offered

- Community Development Program: full-time, days, 16 weeks (program involves volunteer work, job-search and career information, community orientation, computer training and ESL components)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**LETHBRIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**
FEES	Full-time - *$367.10 (landed immigrant/Canadian citizen); $2000 plus $100 activity fee (visa student)* Drop-in *$20/month* ESL Workplace - *free*
TO REGISTER	ESL day-program: registration three times annually; Learning Centre: continuous enrollment (except May to August); ESL Workplace: two times annually
SUPPORT SERVICES	Transportation, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	There is a charge of $110.13 for general materials such as photocopying, paper, etc. for some programs
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lethbridge and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	McKillop Campus 2010-5 Avenue N Lethbridge, Alberta T1H 0N5
PHONE/FAX	320-6444 Fax: 320-1401
CONTACT	Judy Hasinoff, Program Administrator, ESL

LETHBRIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Course/Program Offered

- ESL 002, 003, 005, 007, 009: full-time, days, 32 weeks (basic literacy to advanced levels)
- ESL 015: full-time, days, 32 weeks (academic preparation course)
- ESL Learning Centre: part-time, evenings (drop-in ESL)
- ESL Workplace: full-time, days, 24 weeks (ESL classes with a work placement)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**LETHBRIDGE IMMIGRANT SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATION**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, recreational facilities, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, transportation (fee paid to participants)
OTHER	Register at Lethbridge Immigrant Settlement Office
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lethbridge and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Not known
ADDRESS	#506 4th Avenue South Lethbridge, Alberta T1J 0N3
PHONE/FAX	327-5333 Fax: 327-6521
CONTACT	Honour E. Sauve, Executive Director

LETHBRIDGE IMMIGRANT SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATION

Course/Programs Offered

- **Multi-level: part-time, days, 42 weeks**

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**UNIVERSITY OF LETHBRIDGE, ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE**
FEES	Full-time - *$800 (landed immigrant/ Canadian citizen); $1200 plus approximately $60/semester for field trips, access to recreational facilities (visa student); and $100 for textbooks*
TO REGISTER	Registration accepted on a continuous basis
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lethbridge and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seventeen students
ADDRESS	4401 University Drive Lethbridge, Alberta T1K 3M4
PHONE/FAX	329-2053 Fax: 329-5159
CONTACT	John Taplin, Coordinator of the English Language Centre

UNIVERSITY OF LETHBRIDGE, ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE

Course/Programs Offered

- **Low-Intermediate ESL: full-time, days, 16 weeks**
- **High Intermediate ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks**
- **Advanced ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks**

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**MEDICINE HAT COLLEGE**
FEES	Call for information
TO REGISTER	Quarterly registration
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library, audio visual materials and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Medicine Hat, Redcliff, Bow Island
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	#299 College Drive SE Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 3Y6
PHONE/FAX	529-3862 Fax: 529-2437
CONTACT	Glenn Ennis, Chairman, Department of College Preparation

MEDICINE HAT COLLEGE

Course/Programs Offered

- *Level I: full-time, days, 16 weeks (fall), 24 weeks (winter)(basic literacy)
- Level II, III, IV: full-time, days, 16 weeks (fall), 24 weeks (winter) (beginner to advanced levels)
- English in the Work Place (EWP): full-time, days, 16 weeks (combination ESL/Work Experience Program

*Levels offered may depend on needs of registrants

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**SAAMIS IMMIGRATION SERVICES ASSOCIATION**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Medicine Hat
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Ten students
ADDRESS	#422 6th Street SE Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 1H5
PHONE/FAX	529-0700
CONTACT	Germes Danilo Orellana

SAAMIS IMMIGRATION SERVICES ASSOCIATION

Courses/Programs Offered

- Settlement Language Program: part-time, days, 40 weeks (multi-level)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**CENTRAL ALBERTA REFUGEE EFFORT (C.A.R.E.) COMMITTEE**
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Quarterly registration
SUPPORT SERVICES	Childcare, transportation, individual counselling, interpretation/translation services, library
OTHER	Contact the Coordinator during the month prior to start date
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Red Deer and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eleven students
ADDRESS	#202 - 5000 Gaetz Avenue Red Deer, Alberta T4N 6C2
PHONE/FAX	346-8818 Fax: c/o 347-5220
CONTACT	Helen Siler, Program Coordinator

CENTRAL ALBERTA SETTLEMENT EFFORT (CASE) COMMITTEE

Courses/Programs Offered

- Literacy Level/Special Needs ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks
- Beginner Level ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks
- Intermediate Level ESL: part-time, days, 14 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**LINDSAY THURBER COMPREHENSIVE HIGH SCHOOL, EXTENSION PROGRAM**
FEES	ESL Vocabulary and ESL Writing - *$55* TOEFL Preparation - *$64.20* Textbooks and disk - *$23*
TO REGISTER	Three times annually
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Red Deer (TOEFL Preparation: Lacombe, Sylvan Lake, Innisfail)
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Nine students
ADDRESS	4204 - 58 Street Red Deer, Alberta T4N 2L6
PHONE/FAX	342-1059 Fax: 340-1676
CONTACT	Marilyn Gilbert, Programmer

LINDSAY THURBER COMPREHENSIVE HIGH SCHOOL - EXTENSION PROGRAM

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL Vocabulary: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (low-intermediate level)
- ESL Writing: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks, (low-intermediate level)
- TOEFL Preparation: part-time, evenings, 12 weeks

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM

RED DEER COLLEGE

FEES

$250

TO REGISTER

Registration four times annually: February, April, September, November

SUPPORT SERVICES

*Recreational facilities, some education/career counselling, interpretation/translation services, *library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment (*on main campus only)

OTHER

Prospective students should contact Program Coordinator for assessment before seeing EIC; assessments are done prior to start dates of program

COMMUNITIES SERVED

Red Deer and area: Lacombe, Innisfail, Olds, Sylvan Lake

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

Twelve students

ADDRESS

Box 5005
Red Deer, Alberta T4N 5H5

PHONE/FAX

346-8220 Fax: 340-8940

CONTACT

Coordinator

RED DEER COLLEGE

Course/Programs Offered

- Basic Literacy: full-time, days, 10 weeks
- Beginner: full-time, days, 10 weeks
- Low and High Intermediate: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Advanced: full-time, days or evenings, 10 weeks
- Work Experience: hours and weeks vary (Job Preparation, ESL and Work Experience Program)

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	**ST. ALBERT PROTESTANT SCHOOLS**
FEES	*$60 plus $17.50 textbook rental fee (refundable)*
TO REGISTER	Three times annually: fall, winter and spring
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, library, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	St. Albert and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	60 Sir Winston Churchill Avenue St. Albert Alberta T8N 0G4
PHONE/FAX	458-2060 Fax: 460-7686
CONTACT	Robert Hogg, Associate Superintendent of Curriculum

ST. ALBERT PROTESTANT SCHOOLS

Course/Programs Offered

- ESL classes: part-time, evenings, 10 weeks (multi-level)

ESL/LITERACY PROGRAMS RURAL ALBERTA

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Town of Banff Recreation and Cultural Services
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom based: part-time, 8 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
FEES	*$32 (plus GST)*; fees may be charged for special events
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Three times annually: September, January and April
SUPPORT SERVICES	
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lake Louise, Banff, Canmore, Exshaw and Seebe
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Fifteen students
ADDRESS	P.O. Box 1260 Banff, Alberta T0L 0C0
PHONE/FAX	762-1200 Fax: 762-1260
CONTACT	Susan Webb, Program Coordinator 762-1214 Margaret Riordon, Programmer 762-1113

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Barrhead and District Reading and Writing Program
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*$10*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, audio and video cassettes
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Town and County of Barrhead
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	P.O. Box 820 Barrhead, Alberta T0G 0E0
PHONE/FAX	674-3331 Fax: 674-2777
CONTACT	Cheryl Sanderman - Gergatz, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Brooks Further Education Council
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom based: part-time, 12 weeks (beginner to low-intermediate levels)
FEES	*$30 plus $2 charge for workbook*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment; call Further Education Council for more information
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	Students may register first night of class
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Brooks and County of Newell
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	Box 64 Brooks, Alberta T1R 1B2
PHONE/FAX	362-5372 Fax: 362-0169
CONTACT	Carreen Webber, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Augustana University College, Department of Continuing Education
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom-based: full-time, 34 weeks (multi-level)
FEES	Landed Immigrant and Canadian Citizen - *$2920*
CLASS TIMES	Days
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, language lab, library, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	Contact office for placement test and more information
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Camrose and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	5350 - 39 Avenue Camrose, Alberta 4901 - 46 Avenue Camrose, Alberta T4V 2R3 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	679-1500 679-1169 Fax: 679-1501
CONTACT	Marlene Pasula, Director of Continuing Education Carrol Burkard, Assistant Director of Continuing Education

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Bow Corridor Adult Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, some interpretation/translation through volunteers, library, tape recorders
OTHER	Program Coordinator works out of Banff and Canmore
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Banff, Canmore, Morley, Exshaw, Lake Louise
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 757 Canmore, Alberta T0L 0M0 Box 996 Banff, Alberta T0L 0C0
PHONE/FAX	678-2468 (Canmore) 762-2661 (Banff) Fax: 678-2165
CONTACT	Madeline Crilley, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	County of Lethbridge Adult Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based; Classroom-based: part-time, 8 weeks (multi-level)
FEES	Tutor-based *free* Classroom-based *$35*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Tutor program: continuous enrollment; classroom: classes scheduled on demand (call for more information)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Interpretation/translation services, library, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	Registration fee may be waived
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Coaldale, Coalhurst, Nobleford, Shaughnessy, Picture Butte, Diamond City, Barons, Turin, Iron Springs, Monarch
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Twelve students
ADDRESS	Box 970 Coaldale, Alberta T0K 0L0
PHONE/FAX	345-3160 Fax: 345-4083
CONTACT	Val Millions, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Lakeland College, TriTown Community Learning Centre
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom-based: Beginner I and II and Intermediate I and II, part-time, 12 weeks
FEES	*$120*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Semi-annual registration: August and January
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, tutor bank
OTHER	There is a $15 administration fee if students withdraw from the course prior to the second class
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Bonnyville, Grand Centre, Cold Lake, Medley
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	1301 8th Avenue Cold Lake, Alberta T0A 0V1
PHONE/FAX	639-3939 Fax: 639-3909
CONTACT	Micheline LaPorte, Community Programmer

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Drumheller Family and Community Support Services (FCSS)
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom-based: part-time, 12 weeks (multi-level)
FEES	$5
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Registration usually twice a year depending on demand; interested students should contact FCSS regarding their needs
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, library
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Drumheller, Hanna, Municipal Districts of Starland and Badlands
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	#703, 2nd Avenue, West Drumheller, Alberta ToJ 0Y3
PHONE/FAX	823-6300 Fax: 823-7739
CONTACT	Diana Meller, Director

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Write Break Adult Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based; classes may be offered on occasion (call for information)
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment, audio material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Foremost, Bow Island, Burdett, Manyberries
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 8 Foremost, Alberta T0K 0X0
PHONE/FAX	867-3530 Fax: 867-2242
CONTACT	Brenda Stryker, Literacy Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Fort Kent Community Learning Centre
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, some interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), library, computers, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	ESL classes may be offered through Lakeland College at Bonnyville (call for information and to let College know of your needs)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Bonnyville, Ardmore and surrounding communities
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 150 Fort Kent, Alberta T0A 1H0
PHONE/FAX	826-6116 Fax: 645-3199
CONTACT	Sue Lysachok, Manager

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Grande Cache Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor- based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Grande Cache and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 599 Grande Cache, Alberta T0E 0Y0
PHONE/FAX	827-3502 Fax: 827-3112
CONTACT	Kathleen Brown, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	High Prairie Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based; classroom-based: depending on demand may offer, part-time, 10 weeks (multi-level)
FEES	Tutor-based *free* ESL classes *$10*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Tutoring: continuous registration except July and August; ESL classes (call for information)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	High Prairie and from Guy to Kinuso if tutor can be matched and transportation available
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	Box 622 High Prairie, Alberta T0G 1E0
PHONE/FAX	523-5850
CONTACT	Yvonne Killeen, Literacy Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Adult Literacy Program, County of Red Deer Further Education Council
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, audio-visual and audio materials
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	County of Red Deer: Penhold, Bowden, Innisfail, Spruce View, Sylvan Lake, Delburne, Elnora
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 1539 Innisfail, Alberta T0M 1A0
PHONE/FAX	227-1940 (Tuesday and Thursday AM, September to June) 227-3980
CONTACT	Gwen Falk

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Jasper Further Education Council
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom-based: part-time, 5 weeks (low-intermediate level)
FEES	*$25*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Registration is on a quarterly basis; call for dates and information
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Jasper
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Eight students
ADDRESS	Jasper Activity Centre Box 1539 Jasper, Alberta T0E 1E0
PHONE/FAX	852-3381 Fax: 852-4019
CONTACT	Diana Gallivan, Recreation Program Manager/Facility Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Adult Literacy Program, County of Lacombe
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, individual counselling, some interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), library, audio-visual and audio equipment and material
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lacombe, Eckville, Bentley, Gull Lake, Blackfalds, Clive, Alix, Mirror
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Bag Service #78 Lacombe, Alberta T0C 1S0
PHONE/FAX	782-7655 Fax: 782-4266
CONTACT	Loraine Martin, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Leduc Community Education Centre
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based; classroom based: employment preparation program (may also offer a conversational practice program; call for more information)
FEES	*$10*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment (all year)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling (resources), individual counselling, library
OTHER	Students must meet with Literacy Coordinator for interview and assessment
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Leduc, Beaumont, Calmar, Devon, New Sarepta, Thorsby, Warburg, County of Leduc
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Not known
ADDRESS	5108B - 47 Street Main Floor, Michan Bldg. Leduc, Alberta T9E 6M7 Box 3748 Leduc, Alberta T9E 6M7 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	986-0371
CONTACT	Bernadette Sereda, Director Lilian McCullough, Literacy Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Lakeland College, Learn Program
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom based: part-time, 13 weeks (beginner to advanced levels)
FEES	*$95 plus GST*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Registrations taken September and June
SUPPORT SERVICES	Call for information
OTHER	Students must attend an information evening prior to start of classes (call for information)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Lloydminster and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	2602 - 59 Avenue Lloydminster, Alberta S9V 1Z3 P.O. Bag 6600 Lloydminster, Alberta S9V 1Z3 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	871-5700 Fax: 875-1813
CONTACT	Fay MacDonald

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Project Read
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Nanton, Parkland, Cayley
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 26 Nanton, Alberta T0L 1R0
PHONE/FAX	646-3030
CONTACT	Janice Johnson, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Project Read Soon
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*$10 for books*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, audio-visual material and equipment, language master machines
OTHER	Fee can be waived
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Olds, Didsbury, Sundre, Carstairs, Cremona
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	5002 - 50 Avenue Olds, Alberta T0M 1P0 Box 2177 Olds, Alberta TOM 1P0 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	556-3045
CONTACT	Elaine Graham, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Adult Basic Literacy Education (A.B.L.E.)
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, library, audio-visual equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Empress, Bindloss, Buffalo, Jenner, New Brigden, Acadia Valley, Oyen, Esther, Sibbald, Sedalia, Chinook, Cereal
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 667 Oyen, Alberta T0J 2J0
PHONE/FAX	664-2060 Fax: 664-3981
CONTACT	Fern Derie, Literacy Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Fairview College
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor based; Classroom based: part-time, 36 weeks (beginner to intermediate levels)
FEES	*$20*
CLASS TIMES	Days or evenings
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Education/career counselling, library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment, audio equipmen
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Peace River, Berwyn, Manning, Grimshaw, Dixonville
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Ten students
ADDRESS	Box 3500 Peace River, Alberta T8S 1V9
PHONE/FAX	624-4616
CONTACT	Grace Luck, Literacy Supervisor

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	County of Ponoka Further Education Council
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Classroom based: part-time, 10 weeks (beginner to high-intermediate levels and multilevel)
FEES	*$30 - $48*
CLASS TIMES	Evenings
TO REGISTER	Call for information: courses depend on demand
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library
OTHER	Call to advise Coordinator of ESL needs
COMMUNITIES SERVED	County of Ponoka #3 including towns of Ponoka, Rimbey and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	Seven students
ADDRESS	Box 2121 Ponoka Provincial Bldg. Ponoka, Alberta Rimbey Provincial Bldg. Rimbey, Alberta
PHONE/FAX	783-7088 (Ponoka) 843-3201 (Rimbey)
CONTACT	Ethel McLellan, Coordinator, Ponoka Pat McTavish, Coordinator, Rimbey

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Learn Program
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, some interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), library, computers, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	ESL classes may be offered through Lakeland College at St. Paul (call for information and to let College know of your needs)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	St. Paul and area: Smoky Lake to Two Hills, Elk Point, Glendon, Mallaig
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	St. Paul Community Learning Centre Box 2259 St. Paul, Alberta T0A 3A0
PHONE/FAX	645-3276 Fax: 645-3199
CONTACT	Fran Moffat, Manager

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Lakeland College, Continuing Education, Literacy/Learn Program
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Recreational facilities, education/career counselling, individual counselling, some interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), library
OTHER	Call for further information and to advise College of ESL needs
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Vermillion and area
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Vermillion Campus Vermillion, Alberta T0B 4M0
PHONE/FAX	853-8400 Fax: 853-7355
CONTACT	Meredith Ottoson, Learn Monitor

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	The Write Break Adult Literacy Project
COURSES/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, computers, audio-visual materials and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	County of Vulcan: Vulcan, Mossleigh, Arrowwood, Milo, Lomand, Champion, Carmangay
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 180 Vulcan, Alberta T0L 2B0
PHONE/FAX	485-2241 Fax: 485-2920
CONTACT	Bev Knutson-Shaw, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Lakeland College, Learn (Literacy Education and Reading Network)
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*$10*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August; confidentiality is assured: registrants don't have to come to the office
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, computers, audio-visual material and equipment, audio equipment, some interpretation/translation services, education/career counselling
OTHER	Program Coordinator is only part-time
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Wainwright, Edgerton, Irma, Provost, Chauvin, Czar, Ribstone
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Box 1739 Wainwright, Alberta T0B 4P0
PHONE/FAX	842-6101 Fax: 842-3548
CONTACT	For more information: Fay MacDonald (Lloydminster Campus) 871-5700

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Each One Teach One Literacy Program
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*Free*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Municipal District of Westlock: Westlock, Jarvie, Fawcett, Pickardville, Flatbush, Clyde, Busby, Rochester, Thorhilde
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	1003-100 Avenue Westlock, Alberta T0G 2L0 Box 627 Westlock, Alberta T0G 2L0 (mail only)
PHONE/FAX	349-5253
CONTACT	Ivy Dirks, Program Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Wetaskiwin Program for Adult Literacy Skills (PALS)
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*$10*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment except July and August
SUPPORT SERVICES	Library, audio-visual material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Wetaskiwin, Millet, Gwynne, Westerose, Falun
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	#204, 5201 - 50 Avenue Wetaskiwin, Alberta T9A 0S7
PHONE/FAX	352-7257
CONTACT	Dianne Baker, Coordinator

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Write Soon Literacy Project
COURSE/PROGRAMS OFFERED	Tutor-based
FEES	*$12 annually (pro-rated)*
CLASS TIMES	N/A
TO REGISTER	Continuous enrollment (all year)
SUPPORT SERVICES	Some interpretation/translation services (through volunteers), library, audio-visual and audio material and equipment
OTHER	
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Whitecourt, Municipal District 15 and County of Lac St. Anne
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE(S)	N/A
ADDRESS	Room 217, Provincial Bldg. Whitecourt, Alberta T7S 1N2
PHONE/FAX	778-3010
CONTACT	Karen Manweiler, Literacy Coordinator

ASSESSMENT AND REFERRAL CENTRES

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Language and Vocational Assessment (LVA), Immigration and Settlement Service, Catholic Social Services
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Call to make an appointment
SERVICES	Assessment of the newcomer's first language skills and educational/occupational experiences Evaluation of the newcomer's level of English in reading, writing, speaking and comprehension skills Assistance to make appropriate decisions regarding educational and occupational options Referral to educational institutions, ESL programs, financial assistance programs, employment agencies and other community resources Produces a guide to ESL programs in Edmonton LVA Counselling Services available in: Chinese, English, Portuguese, Spanish and Vietnamese (other languages are available through staff and volunteers with the Immigration and Settlement Service of Catholic Social Services)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Edmonton and area
ADDRESS	10709 - 105 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5H 2X3
PHONE/FAX	424-3545 Fax: 425-6627
CONTACT	Ana Maria Fantino, Patti Albert, Maria Teresa Liberona, Tran Le Tran, Bason Hoang

ORGANIZATION/ PROGRAM	Calgary Immigrant Aid Society, Immigrant Vocational and Language Referral Centre
FEES	*Free*
TO REGISTER	Call to make an appointment
SERVICES	Assessment of oral and written English skills Educational counselling and planning, including accreditation procedures for professionals, academic upgrading, job training programs, training allowances available Career Planning including assistance in setting goals, information on job search techniques, group information sessions in first language, referrals to other career planning services and job finding clubs Centre staff provide counselling services in: Chinese, English, Farsi, French, German, Italian, Polish, Russian, Spanish, Vietnamese (other languages provided by Centre volunteers)
COMMUNITIES SERVED	Calgary and area
ADDRESS	#900 Century Garden 825 - 8 Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta T2P 2T3
PHONE/FAX	262-2656
CONTACT	Krystyna Biel

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